

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

November 28, 2008

Stephen Shaff, Treasurer Progressive Vote AKA Progressive Democrats of America P.O. Box 150064 Grand Rapids, MI 49515

Response Due Date: December 29, 2008

Identification Number: C00402800

Reference:

October Quarterly Report (7/1/08-9/30/08)

Dear Treasurer:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. Failure to adequately respond by the response date noted above could result in an audit or enforcement action. Additional information is needed for the following item:

-Schedule A supporting Line 11(a)(i) of your report discloses receipts identified as 'Cash donations, Busboys and Poets," 'Cash donations, Progressive Central," and "Cash donations, Wyndham O'Hare" totaling \$6,471.30. Please be advised that contributions exceeding \$100 must be made by check (or other written instrument). 11 CFR §110.4(c) Please return any amount over \$100 to each contributor and disclose the refunds on the appropriate report(s).

However, if these apparent cash contributions did not exceed \$100 per contributor, you are advised that all contributions from individuals/persons that aggregate greater than \$200 in the calendar year must be itemized on Schedule supporting Line Contributions 11(a)(i). from individuals/persons that aggregate \$200 or less need only be disclosed on Line 11(a)(ii) of the Detailed Summary Page. 11 CFR §104.3(a)(2) Please amend your report to clarify these apparent discrepancies.

Please note, you will not receive an additional notice from the Commission on this matter. Adequate responses must be received by the Commission on or before the due date noted above to be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered.

Electronic filers must file amendments (to include statements, designations and reports) in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you should have any questions regarding this matter or wish to verify the adequacy of your response, please contact me on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 5 to reach the Reports Analysis Division) or my local number (202) 694-1139.

Sincerely,

Nicole Della Rocco

Campaign Finance Analyst Reports Analysis Division

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